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Smart traffic system for Mysuru from July 1

- Intelligent Traffic Management System (ITMS) for city, district, Mysuru-Bengaluru National Highway 275
- Come July, violators to be penalised; System to cover Hunsur, H.D. Kote, Nanjangud and T. Narasipur

ADGP (Traffic and Road Safety) Alok Kumar inspecting the installation of ANPR cameras on Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway near Siddalingapura last month.

Mysuru, June 23 (RK&BCT)- The 119-km Access-Controlled Mysuru-Bengaluru National Highway 275, along with Mysuru district and city, will become a fully functional Intelligent Traffic Management System (ITMS) corridor starting July 1.

This will also mark the beginning of issuing penalty notices (challans) from the Traffic Management Centre in Mysuru for traffic violations. ITMS was first introduced in Bengaluru in December 2022, incorporating 250 Automatic Number Plate Recognition (ANPR) cameras and 80 red light violation detection (RLVD) cameras at 50 junctions.

The same system has now been replicated in Mysuru on major roads within the city and district limits at an estimated cost of Rs. 8.5 crore, with Rs. 4 crore allocated for Mysuru city and Rs. 4.5 crore for the Mysuru district.

According to Additional Director General of Police (ADGP), Traffic and Road Safety, Alok Kumar, who inspected the installation of ANPR cameras last month, the cameras will cover several areas of Mysuru district, such as Hunsur, H.D. Kote, Nanjangud and T. Narasipur.

(See TRAFFIC on page 6)

500 cameras to function in Mysuru from next month

"We have added 259 CCTV cameras to the existing surveillance network within Mysuru city limits as part of Intelligent Traffic Management System (ITMS). These cameras, along with an additional 250 installed by Mysuru District Police, are ready for operations. We have installed 12 cameras along the part of Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway under our jurisdiction and another eight at Kempegowda Circle, also known as Manipal Hospital Junction. Starting July 1, all these cameras will be active and monitored from Traffic Management Centre, enabling us to enforce traffic rules and penalise violators."

—Ramesh Banoth, Mysuru City Police Commissioner

To Our Readers

Turn to Page-6 for Abracadabra titled "Ritz Ponnu's Last Supper." —**Ed**

MCC on pothole filling-spree

Mysuru, June 23 (RK&KS)- As rains have given a break, the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) has embarked on a pothole filling-spree across all its nine Zones in city.

Majority of roads riddled with potholes and craters were causing a lot of problems to motorists and the same was reported in newspapers. This forced the MCC Engineers to conduct a survey of such roads and prepare the cost for covering the potholes.

Following instructions from MCC Commissioner Ashaad-Ur-Rahman Shariff, an e-tender was called and under the supervision of MCC Superintending Engineer K.J. Sindhu one contractor for each MCC Zone was awarded the tender of covering the potholes.

A total of Rs. 90 lakh — Rs. 10 lakh for each 9 Zones — was approved from the MCC's general grants. The contractors commenced the works from Friday, said Sindhu.

MCC Zonal Officers and Engineers of all nine Zones have been instructed to get the pothole filling works done from the contractors on time.

The MCC Superintending Engineer further said that all Zonal Officers will visit the spots to oversee the quality of works and submit a report. The works are expected to be completed before *Ashada* next month.

Unnatural sex case

MLC Suraj Revanna arrested by Hassan CEN Cops

CID probe ordered: Home Minister

Suraj Revanna

Hassan, June 23 (BS)- In yet another jolt to the beleaguered family of Holenarasipura MLA H.D. Revanna, his son and JD(S) MLC Suraj Revanna was arrested by Cyber Economic and Narcotics (CEN) Crime Police of Hassan in the early hours of today, on charge of having unnatural sex with a male party worker.

Suraj is the brother of former Hassan MP Prajwal Revanna, who is already arrested in a case of sexual assault.

The 37-year-old JD(S) MLC was arrested when he visited CEN Crime Police Station in Hassan to submit evidences in connection with a blackmail case filed by one of his acquaintances, Shivakumar, against the complainant, the party worker. He had filed a complaint against Suraj at Holenarasipura Police Station in Hassan on Saturday, alleging that he was sexually assaulted by the latter at his farmhouse in Ghannikada in Holenarasipura on June 16.

(See SURAJ on page 7)

STAR OF MYSORE

"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Sunday 23rd June 2024

Deadline to affix HSRP number plate extended to Sept. 15

Bengaluru, June 23 (Agencies)- The State Government has extended the deadline for installation of High Security Registration Plates (HSRP) to Sept. 15. The Transport Department, on Wednesday, issued a notification in this regard, giving vehicle owners time to affix the HSRPs.

Responding to a petition filed by the HSRP Manufacturers' Association of India and others, the Transport Department had told the High Court last month that it would not take any "precipitative action" until June 12 against violating vehicles.

The High Court is hearing writ petitions against the Department's Aug. 17, 2023, notification, which mandates that vehicles registered before Apr. 1, 2019, affix the HSRPs through OEMs (Original Equipment Manufacturers) and their authorised dealers.

All vehicles registered in Karnataka before Apr. 1, 2019, have to meet the requirement while vehicles registered after Apr. 1, 2019, get the HSRP at the time of registration itself.

After introduction of the rule, motorists who own vehicles manufactured by companies that have exited the Indian market or stopped manufacturing, are finding it difficult to book HSRP. Also, those who have bought vehicles with registration of other States, but are permanent residents of Karnataka, are also finding it difficult to book the HSRPs.

Vehicle owners have urged the authorities concerned to look into the issues and find a solution to the problems.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

WHAT WE CAN LEARN FROM OUR FATHERS: ***On June 16, Father's Day was celebrated all around the world. All fathers, grandfathers, great-grandfathers, and father-figures were honoured, and tributes were rightly bestowed on them. We acknowledged and appreciated our fathers for the important role they play in our families, societies and lives in general.***

Unlike mothers, who are mostly stereotyped, fathers come in varying kinds. We have the dutiful ones as well as the happy-go-lucky ones. There are the gentlemanly types and the boisterous sorts. Many are disciplinarians, but others are moderate. On the one hand, there are those who are involved in monitoring their children closely; on the other hand, there are the detached fathers who do not participate much in the raising of their children. Whatever personality type a father belongs to, in general, all fathers love and care for their children unconditionally. They are ordinary men who turn into heroes, adventurers, storytellers and singers for their children. A father is indeed a son's first hero and a daughter's first love!

Therefore, there is much we can learn from these good men. For instance, we can learn to work hard from our fathers. Until the turn of the century, fathers were the primary breadwinners for their families. Their perseverance in their professions and jobs teaches us the outstanding qualities of hard work and commitment.

One other wonderful quality we can learn from our fathers is their intelligence in financial matters. As fathers are often in charge of the finances of families, they organise, plan and appropriate finances for the present and the future.

Fathers also demonstrate leadership qualities in their role as the head of the family. They unite, motivate, support and remain loyal to their children and family at all times.

They are inspiring role models and mentors for their children. No matter what or how a father relates, his influence on his children is significant. Most times, children look up to their fathers in their choice of careers and vocations. It is rightly said of fathers that "one father is more than a hundred school masters."

Let us look keenly at our fathers. Let us single out all the good qualities they possess. Let us make an effort to follow their good example. That would be a fitting tribute we can give our wonderful fathers! *—Dorothy Victor in Deccan Herald*

NEWS SPARKLERS

Yogis celebrate solstice at Times Square

New York: Hundreds of people converged on Times Square in New York on Thursday to celebrate the summer solstice with an entire day of outdoor yoga classes.

The event, dubbed Solstice in Times Square: Mind Over Madness Yoga, commenced at 7.30 am with a class taught by yogi Richa Dhekne and presented by Consulate General of India.

Classes were held throughout the day at the intersection of Broadway and 7th Avenue, between 43rd & 48th Streets, with the last one ending at 8.30 pm.

The yearly tradition began with three yogis who gathered to welcome the solstice with yoga in Times Square at sunrise on June 21, 2003, and they went on to make it into an annual event.

Hospital cares for 7 sets of newborn twins

Ohio: A hospital in Ohio is celebrating an unusual baby boom while caring for seven sets of newborn twins at the same time.

Cleveland Clinic Children's said on social media that the Hillcrest Hospital NICU and postpartum units are currently caring for multiple multiples.

"We've been feeling double the love caring for seven sets of newborn twins at the same time," the post said. The post also said that the families included both first-time and experienced parents.

"First time parents Scott and Katie Krusinski welcomed Finnegan and Theodore," officials wrote. "While Jason and Kara Samblanet are excited to have babies Reid and Elliot expand their now family of seven," officials added.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Regular self breast examination should be done by all women every month. If notice any unusual symptoms, can do Mammogram.

By Dr. Shaheen Akhtar - Consultant - Obstetrics and Gynaecology
Manipal Hospital, Mysore

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Pratibha Puraskar for students

Mysuru, June 23- The **Mysuru and Chamarajanagar District Veerashaiva-Lingayat Mathadhipathigala Goshti**, Dr. Shivarathri Rajendra Swamiji Circle, Mysuru, has invited applications from meritorious Veerashaiva-Lingayat community children of Mysuru and Chamarajanagar districts, who have scored high marks in SSLC/ Class 10 (State & Central syllabus) in the academic year 2023-24, for presentation of Pratibha Puraskar. Last date to apply is June 30. For details, contact Mob: 94490-30588, according to a release.

The Halenadu Karnataka Smartha Brahmana Sangha, having office at 'Shantiniketana Bhavan,' First Cross, Krishnamurthypuram in city, has invited applications from Smartha Brahmin community students who have scored over 75 percent marks in SSLC and PUC (2023-24), for presentation of Pratibha Puraskar. Last date to apply is July 5. For details, contact Mob: 98457-17501 or 94487-89015 or 91416-37888.

Mysuru District Vishwakarma Yuva Jagruti Vedike, having office at Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Nagar, Police Layout 2nd Stage, Mysuru, has invited applications from meritorious Vishwakarma students from Mysuru district, who have secured more than 65 percent marks in SSLC and II PUC exams to present Pratibha Puraskar. Last date to apply is June 30. For details, contact Mob: 91088-14433 or 97434-89608 or 97398-09952, according to a press release.

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VOICE OF THE READER

Destiny can turn things indeed !

Sir,

After reading the article titled ***"Destiny...Thy name is surgery?"*** in *Star of Mysore* dated June 14 by Dr. H.V. Shivaram, who is now an eminent surgeon in Bengaluru's Aster Hospital, I really got goosebumps!

What a traumatic experience he had when a mad horse attacked him, biting tightly his arm and dragging him around the Mysore Medical College campus.

How a cook of the college canteen at the right time made the mad horse release its sharp grip which left the young doctor with grievous injuries. And how a tragic amputation of the entire shoulder was saved by the readily available very eminent surgeon Dr. C.B. Murthy at that point of time.

Now that Dr Shivaram has become an eminent surgeon, shouldn't we thank the great destiny that came in the form of that cook and Dr. Murthy ?

These types of episodes happen to many of us in our lives. God's grace sometimes takes the shape of destiny and the help in need comes to us through fellow humans and circumstances. So, we should always have faith in ourselves and the great destiny that could positively change our lives anytime.

—Kala Chary

Bogadi 18.6.2024

NOTE: *Destiny can also turn evil. Light on this opinion comes from Dr. Javeed Nayeem's column* ***"Over a Cup of Evening Tea"*** *in SOM dated June 16, 2024 titled* ***"A heart-touching, horse-attack story!"***

*Dr. C.B. Murthy, the surgeon who saved the hand of Dr. H.V. Shivaram from being amputated, himself became a victim in the hands of destiny. About two years back, the very same destiny in a cruel blow "suddenly knocked the man (Dr. Murthy) with a massive stroke leaving him paralysed... He is still convalescing in far away Mumbai." It is a paradox that even good people like Dr. Murthy become victims in the hands of cruel destiny.—**Ed***

CM Siddaramaiah
to visit city this evening

Mysuru, June 23- Chief Minister Siddaramaiah will visit the city this evening (June 23). He will leave Bengaluru's HAL Airport at 5.30 pm by a special flight and land at Mysore airport in Mandakalli here at 5.55 pm. He will later take part in a private function at Sa.Ra. Convention Hall on Dattagalli Road in Kanakadasanagar.

He will fly back to Bengaluru from the airport at 8 pm, according to CM's official tour itinerary.

Drinking water crisis

Dattagalli residents
dependent on tankers

Mysuru, June 23 (BLU&DM)- Even though the city has been experiencing good rains for the past one month, the residents of the area along Jodi Bevina Mara Road in Dattagalli are facing a severe drinking water crisis.

Due to irregular water supply, the residents are forced to get water from tankers, for which they have to shell out Rs. 4,000 per month. Though all houses in the area have water connection, the taps have gone dry. Numerous complaints to the elected representatives as well as the Vani Vilas Water Works (VVWW) authorities regarding the matter has not yielded any result. As such, the residents are forced to get water through private tankers.

The people are getting their sump tanks filled once in 3 days, for which the tankers charge Rs.400, resulting in a total expenditure of Rs. 4,000 a month, which is a costly affair.

This apart, the residents are facing another problem. The entire locality is under darkness due to malfunctioning of street lights. Tax-paying residents are an angry lot as despite being a MUDA approved Layout, the locality is lacking in civic amenities, for which they blame official apathy.

Environment Day celebrated at Daksha College

Mysuru, June 23- Daksha College, Mysuru, celebrated World Environment Day on June 15 with the participation of Prof. Shyam Sundar Subbarao, Expert in Renewable Energy and Sustainable Technologies, K.C. Shivappa, poet, V. Srinivasa Raju, Environmental activist who has promoted greening and Prof. N.M. Talwar of University of Mysore.

The programme was also attended by Chairman Jayachandra Raju, Principal Ratnakar Shanbag and Vice-Principal Md. Mubbashir.

Prof. Shyam Sundar gave an educative presentation and demo on Green Technologies for future.

He spoke on how to improve our environment by waste management and turn our daily waste into compost and grow their own vegetables using the regenerated manure for gardens. He shared his knowledge on biofuels and practical measures to reduce carbon footprints.

He emphasised on recycling and compost management at micro level, how to keep the campus and environment clean and green using the method of Recycle, Reuse and Reduce.

Srinivasa Raju shared his experiences on greening the earth with a note "students should develop the culture to nurture nature" which is the essence for sustainability of our future generations.

As is the Daksha tradition, the gardeners of the college were honoured for their valuable contribution in keeping the campus clean and green. The gardeners take on the role of parents with dedication to nurture the plants, opined Jayachandra Raju.

Competitions were held for students to enable creativity and initiative thoughts to bring out the 'Best Out of Waste.' Winning students were awarded.

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A	SOD-08	Scientific Officer/D (Medical)	Nuclear Medicine	67,700+NPA (Level-11)	40	2	0	0	0	0	2
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A	SOD-10	Scientific Officer/D (Medical)	Human / Medical Geneticist	67,700+NPA (Level-11)	40	1	0	0	0	0	1
A	SOC-01	Scientific Officer/C (Medical)	General Duty / Casually Medical Officer	56,100+NPA (Level-10)	35	10	2	1	1	1	15#
B	TOB-01	Technical Officer/B	Physiotherapy	47,600 (Level-8)	30	0	1	0	0	0	1
B	SAC-01	Scientific Assistant/C	Medical Social Worker	44,900 (Level-7)	30	1	0	0	0	0	1
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Export Management Training programme

Visvesvaraya Trade Promotion Centre (VTPC), Bengaluru and District Industries Centre (DIC), Mysuru, have jointly organised a 5-day Export Management Training Programme from June 24 to 29. The inauguration of the Training Programme will be held on June 24 at 11 am at The President Hotel, according to a press release from the VTPC, Mysuru.

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State Food Commission checks quality, distribution & storage

Field visits highlight many issues; shortcomings to be addressed by District Administration

Mysuru, June 23 (BCT)- The Chairman and members of the Karnataka State Food Commission, who camped in Mysuru for three days, visited certain outlets in the city and district to inspect the quality of food grains supplied by the State Government to children and the general public.

Led by Commission Chairman Dr. H. Krishna, the five-member body visited the Fair Price Shop (FPS) at the foot of Chamundi Hill, the storage godown at Bandipalya, Anganwadi at Alanahalli, Government School at Lalithadripura and K.S.S. Orphanage in the city. Commission Members Lingaraj Kote, Sumanth Rao, Maruti M. Doddalingannavar, A. Rohini Priya, K.S. Vijayalakshmi, Member-Secretary Sujatha Hosamani and other district-level officers were present.

After the field visits, the Chairman and Members of the State Food Commission noted both shortcomings and commendable efforts by officers and staff.

Following their visit, a review meeting was held at the new Deputy Commissioner's (DC) Office on Bannur Road, chaired by Dr. Krishna and attended by DC Dr. K.V. Rajendra and other officers where the Commission's observations were discussed. Officials who had not performed adequately were instructed to address the identified shortcomings.

Karnataka State Food Commission Chairman Dr. H. Krishna (third from right) addressing a meeting at the Mysuru DC's Office on Friday as (from left) Commission Members Sumanth Rao, Lingaraj Kote and Maruti M. Doddalingannavar, DC Dr. K.V. Rajendra and ZP CEO K.M. Gayathri look on.

Dr. Krishna emphasised that it is the responsibility of the Government and everyone involved to ensure the provision of quality food to all citizens, particularly the voiceless, the poor, farmers, women, children and workers.

One significant issue noted was the lack of display boards mentioning the names of Food Vigilance Committee members, addresses and phone numbers at Fair Price Shops. Farmers and other customers do not know whom to contact in case there is any problem in foodgrain distribution and the quality of grains.

Additionally, discrepancies were found between entries in the register records and the actual stock in the godowns. Some Fair Price Shops in Hunsur and K.R. Nagar taluks did not know the names of Vigilance Committee Members.

Food Inspectors were not doing their jobs as required and the Committee Members also noted that foodgrains were not being distributed as per the designated schedules. The distribution must be according to the Government timetable and must not be based on the whims and fancies of the FPS owners. In response, DC Dr. K.V. Rajendra instructed the Joint Director of the Food Department to issue show-cause notices to those Fair Price Shops with excess stock and to install CCTV cameras in the godowns to prevent foodgrain mismanagement. He stressed that any mistakes should lead to action against the jurisdictional Food Inspectors.

Commission Member Sumanth Rao reported that eggs were not being distributed properly in Anganwadi centres, with eggs supposed to be given on Tuesdays and Fridays but often not provided on Tuesdays. He also noted that some petrol pumps lacked proper toilets.

Member Rohini Priya pointed out inadequate bed arrangements in most hostels and insufficient sanitary pads, a crucial need. The DC sought an immediate report from the officials when the Commission Members noted that despite having stock, shoes and socks were not distributed in one of the hostels.

When it was brought to the notice at the meeting that there were no Science and Mathematics teachers at D.B. Kuppe's Ashram School and the Head Cook was given the additional charge as Head Master, the officer concerned explained that there are no permanent teachers and hence, the stopgap arrangement.

The meeting was attended by Committee Members, Zilla Panchayat (ZP) CEO K.M. Gayathri, Food and Civil Supplies Department Joint Director Kumudha and other officials.

MLA K. Harishgowda directs officials to make preparations for tackling monsoon rain havoc

Mysuru, June 23 (RK&DM)- With the Monsoon having set in, Chamaraja MLA K. Harishgowda has directed the MCC officials to make all necessary preparations for tackling possible havoc that may be caused by monsoon rains. He was speaking at the progress review meeting concerning Chamaraja Assembly Constituency at MCC Old Council hall here on Friday.

Harishgowda directed the officials to clear silt collected in storm water drains and to clean underground drainages for ensuring smooth flow of water. "It is important to fix potholes on all roads. It has come to my notice that several localities are facing mosquito menace and as such, periodical fogging must be conducted to keep mosquitoes at bay. Also, overhanging branches of roadside trees must be trimmed and dead tress must be cut down for ensuring the safety of motorists and importance

must be given for supplying pure drinking water to the residents. This apart, non functioning borewells must be repaired and new borewells should be drilled wherever found necessary. It has been found that some pure drinking water units (RO Plants) have broken down and such ones should be repaired immediately for public use. At the same time, it should be ensured that there is no disruption in water supplies," he said.

Instructing the officials to expedite all ongoing works and to immediately respond to public complaints on civic problems, Harishgowda asked the officials to complete all pending works before the end of July.

Expressing severe disappointment over complaints on inappropriate waste disposal, the MLA wanted the authorities to deploy required number of Pourakarmikas at all necessary points and the Health Inspectors to regularly visit the Wards for ensuring hygienity and cleanliness. He warned that the concerned Health Inspector will be held responsible for any lapses in respect of Hygiene in Wards.

Continuing, the MLA said: "It has also been found that the 24.10% and 7.25% grant plans of the MCC are not reaching the targeted beneficiaries and this should not happen in the future. The authorities must ensure that there is no discrimination in the selection of beneficiaries and that the benefits reach the doorsteps of all beneficiaries."

Stating that he has been receiving complaints on inappropriate or irregular functioning of some Indira Canteens, he instructed the officials to visit such canteens on a daily basis and ensure that the canteens maintain food quality and cater to the needs of the public.

He also directed to handover houses built by the Karnataka Slum Clearance Board for beneficiaries at Karakushalanagar in Metagalli, Medar Block, Rajarajeshwarinagar and Gokulam to the MCC and to issue Khatas to the beneficiaries.

MCC Commissioner Ashaad-Ur-Rahman Shariff, SE K.J. Sindhu, MCC Zonal Officers & Development Officers were present.

Centre introduces Public Examinations (Prevention of Unfair Means) Act, 2024

Exam scam attracts 10 years of jail; Rs. 1 crore fine

Authorities take tough stand after NEET-2024 Q-paper leak, UGC-NET row

New Delhi, June 23 (Agencies)- In a significant step to curb paper leaks and cheating in public examinations, the Central Government has introduced the Public Examinations (Prevention of Unfair Means) Act, 2024.

This law comes into force amid a major controversy surrounding the recent National Eligibility-Cum-Entrance Test (NEET)-2024 and UGC-NET exams, which were marred by allegations of paper leaks and irregularities. The new law cracks down paper leak with Rs. 1 crore fine and 10-year jail term.

The Public Examinations (Prevention of Unfair Means) Act, 2024, effective from June 21, establishes stiff penalties for those involved in exam irregularities. It aims to prevent unfair means in public examinations conducted by Union Public Service Commission (UPSC), Staff Selection Commission (SSC), Railways, Banking recruitment examinations and the National Testing Agency (NTA) to name a few, among others.

Under the Act, individuals caught leaking exam papers or tampering with answer sheets will undergo minimum of three-year jail term, extendable to five years, besides facing fine up to Rs. 10 lakh. Notably, all offences under the Act are classified as cognisable and non-bailable, that gives a teeth to the authorities to arrest individuals without a warrant.

The law takes a tough stand on organised cheating, especially the senior officials within service providers who knowingly participate in or facilitate such activities, shall be facing a minimum three-year jail, extending to 10 years with Rs. 1 crore fine.

Examination authorities or service providers involved in organised exam malpractice can be imprisoned for a minimum of five years and a maximum of 10, with the same Rs. 1 crore fine.

Examination service providers, though aware of the offence but fail to report it can be fined a hefty Rs. 1 crore. The Act offers some protection to individuals who can demonstrably prove that the offence was committed without their knowledge and that they tried their best to prevent it.

The new law follows the irregularities in NEET, held on May 5 written by about 24 lakh candidates, following the question paper leak in Bihar. Additionally, the UGC-NET was cancelled entirely due to suspicions that the integrity of the exam was compromised.

Following this, the NTA on Friday announced the postponement of the June edition of the Joint CSIR-UGC-NET, citing unavoidable circumstances and logistic issues. This test determines eligibility for Junior Research Fellowships (JRF), Assistant Professorships and Ph.D admissions in Science courses.

NEET won't be cancelled: Minister Dharmendra Pradhan

New Delhi, June 23 (Agencies)- Union Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan has denied any plans to cancel National Eligibility-Cum-Entrance Test (NEET), asserting that the Government won't jeopardise the future of thousands of aspirants because of a few isolated incidents.

Addressing the media persons recently, Pradhan said, "I want to assure everyone that the Government is committed to protect students' rights. We will not compromise with transparency. We have received inputs from the Bihar Government about NEET examination. Patna Police is investigating the matter and they will soon send a detailed report to the Government of India. Preliminary information indicates that errors were limited to a specific region."

Sandalwood actor Darshan back in jail

27th ACMM Court remands actor, three others to JC till July 4; Darshan allotted undertrial prisoner number 6106

Bengaluru, June 23 (KMS& BS)- Sandalwood actor Darshan, who was arrested on charge of murder of 33-year-old Renuka Swamy of Chitradurga, has been sent to 14-day Judicial Custody (JC) till July 4. This is the same prison where the actor was jailed 13 years ago in another case for assaulting his wife.

Darshan, along with three other accused — Pradosh, Vinay and Dhanraj — were remanded to JC by the 24th Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate (ACMM) Court on Saturday, following which they have been lodged in the Parappana Agrahara Central Jail in city.

Darshan has been allotted Undertrial Prisoner Number-6106 and has been kept in 'B' block in the jail, said a source.

Darshan

Darshan, was arrested in the murder case on June 11 and was in 12-day Police custody since then. The Court had recently remanded 13 other accused, including Darshan's friend Pavithra Gowda, to 14-day JC two days ago.

Special Public Prosecutor (SPP) Prasanna Kumar requested the judge to move some of the accused to different prisons. He argued that some accused faced life threat from the fans of the actor inside the jail. But Darshan's counsel objection, prompting the Judge to defer the hearing to Monday (June 24).

A total of 17 people are accused in the murder of Renuka Swamy, a pharmacy chain employee from Chitradurga. He had allegedly sent lewd messages to Pavithra Gowda, forcing the accused to kidnap him from Chitradurga on June 8, only to torture and kill him later.

Renuka Swamy's body was found near a drain adjacent to an apartment in Bengaluru's Sumanahalli on June 9. His autopsy revealed details of gruesome torture. In September 2011, Darshan was arrested for assaulting his wife Vijayalakshmi and he had spent 28 days in Parappana Agrahara jail.

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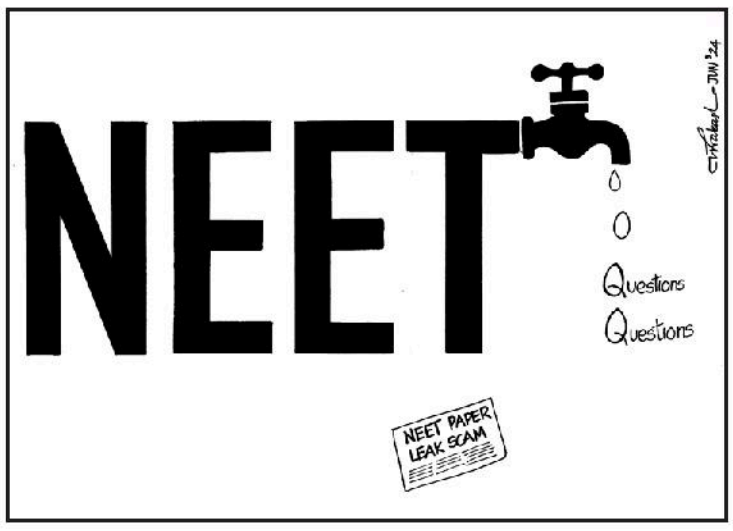


Six more arrested; tally touches 19

New Delhi, June 23 (Agencies)- The Economic Offences Unit (EOU) of Bihar Police has arrested six more people in connection with the alleged leak of National Eligibility-Cum-Entrance Test (NEET)-2024 question paper, taking the total number of arrests made in the case to 19. The latest arrests were made in Jharkhand's Deoghar.

Acting on a tip off, the Police arrested Panku, Paramjeet alias Bittu, Baldev Kumar alias Chintu, Prashant alias Kaju, Ajeet and Rajeev Kumar alias Karu from Devipur Police Station limits. The arrests were made from a house near AIIMS, Deoghar.

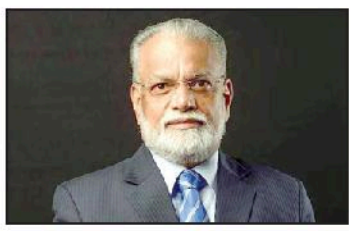
Earlier, two people were arrested from Ranchi — Awadesh Kumar and his son Abhishek, a NEET aspirant. In his confession letter, Awadesh had said he paid Rs 40 lakh to Sikandar Yadavendu, the alleged mastermind for the question paper.

This development follows the earlier arrest of 13 individuals by Bihar Police, including four NEET-UG candidates and their family members in connection with the case.

The arrested individuals included aspirant Anurag Yadav, Sikandar Yadavendu and two others, Nitish Kumar and Amit Anand. They have confessed to receiving the question paper a day prior to the exam and memorising the answers, Police sources said.

Former ISRO Chief headed panel to reform NTA

New Delhi, June 23 (Agencies)- The Union Education Ministry has constituted a high-level committee of experts to ensure transparent, smooth and fair conduct of examinations by the **National Testing Agency (NTA).** The panel will be headed by former Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) Chairman Dr.K. Radhakrishnan.

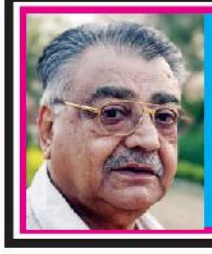


K. Radhakrishnan

This development comes days after NTA cancelled UGC-NET, after its question paper was found to have been leaked online. There were also allegations of irregularities in NEET, that has triggered nationwide outrage over the process of examinations.

The high-level committee has been tasked with making recommendations on reforms in the examination process, improving data security protocols and enhancing the structure and functioning of the NTA. The committee has been asked to submit a report within two months.

The Committee: Dr.K. Radhakrishnan, former Chairman of ISRO and Chairman of the Board of Governors at IIT Kanpur, has been appointed as the Chairman of the committee. Other members include Dr. Randeep Guleria, former Director of All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Delhi; Prof. B.J. Rao, Vice-Chancellor of Central University of Hyderabad; Prof.K. Ramamurthy, Professor Emeritus at the Department of Civil Engineering, IIT Madras; Pankaj Bansal, Co-Founder of People Strong and Board Member of Karmayogi Bharat; Prof. Aditya Mittal, Dean of Student Affairs at IIT Delhi and Govind Jaiswal, Joint Secretary at the Ministry of Education, Member-Secretary.



Abracadabra... Abracadabra...

By K.B. Ganapathy

Ritz Ponnu's Last Supper

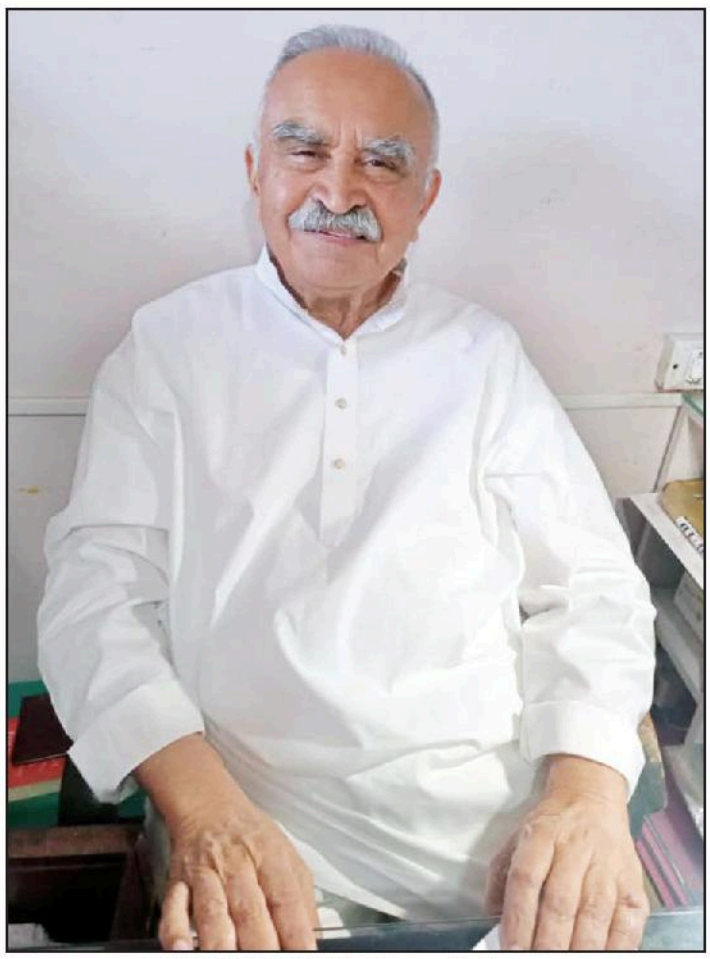
On Friday around 11 am I got a call. The message was disturbing, unpleasant, "Ponnu uncle passed away." It was about the death of Ponnu Muthanna, known simply as Ponnu to his friends, the man behind the **Pelican Pub,** popular eatery and beer pub, on Hunsur Road in Jayalakshmipuram. He was 86.

The news twanged my heart string with a sense of guilt for not seeing him while in the hospital, no matter there were reasons. For some time thereafter I was recalling memories of Ponnu I knew, not very closely but primarily as a known hospitality Guru of Mysuru city since early 1970s. If one wanted to drink and dine it was the iconic **Ritz Hotel** on Bengaluru-Nilgiri Road. And Ponnu presided over its affairs for many years.

I had first met him in that hotel in the 1970s. I had gone there with my late brother Dr. K.B. Subbaiah and his wife Swajie, who were known to him. We went to see him in his office and I found him poring over an english novel that I had read. It gave me a chance to engage him in conversation. But he was a man of few words. Very soft spoken that one must be very attentive to hear him. When I said 'beg your pardon,' he merely brought a faint smile on his rotund face with eyes twinkling. Indeed a gentle soul, I thought.

Later while we were having our dinner he materialised again as from nowhere, holding the same book and spoke to my brother and sister-in-law and left as quietly as he came. Years passed. Then I learnt he had quit Hotel Ritz and set up a new eatery near my house in Kuvempunagar with an exotic, or call it swanky, name — "Grub House."

Probably Ponnu's journey towards becoming a pioneer in setting up hotels was at a time when there were no "consultants" or "experts" in the field. As I could remember he was the idea man and the founder-promoter of some of the later day hotels in Mysuru. And he was known for naming them like no one could imagine. One was "Dew Drop Inn" in Yelwal on Hunsur Road. I was one of the invitees for the evening gala of its inauguration. A generous, persuasive, attentive host. It was an Inn, a new concept like the Motels of America, and the name Dew Drop.... let your imagination go romancing.



THIS WAS A MAN: ***Ponnu Muthanna.***

He was too caring to his guests and for his attire he wore only Khadi, as if paying tribute to Mahatma Gandhi. When I made discreet enquiry about his sartorial preference, the answer was that he was a staunch nationalist (left-liberal intellectual elite may pardon him) and a philosopher-hotelier. I was amused.

However, it did not take many years for me to see him in a new *avatar,* so to say. He began to wear blue jeans and tucked in shirt. I did not venture to find out from others why this transformation. I asked him this question myself and his answer was a gentle, winning smile that made me shut my mouth. I used to meet him occasionally in some gathering and our conversation would end abruptly after exchanging pleasantries.

Next I heard of him as being engaged in setting up a new hotel in the central district of the city on Sri Harsha Road, again with an apt name "Parklane Hotel," the hotel being in front of a park, in association with a rich city businessman. The speciality here was the dancing floor, with psychedelic lights *et al* with loud music for the young boys and girls who bunk classes! Ponnu was the innovative brain behind this venture. He did not forget to invite me for the inaugural. Thank you Ponnu. This hotel became a roaring success but he had to leave it too.

As I know it was time for him to enter the big-league. "The Green Hotel," formerly the famous Premier Studio on Hunsur Road with the Chittaranjan Palace, as the Director. Indeed he had a midas touch with hotels but seemed to be experimenting. I do not know of other hotels he had fathered but I know that he remained a bachelor all his life.

Probably, the last one he promoted and partnered, this time successfully, was the "Pelican Pub" on Hunsur Road, Jayalakshmipuram. It became a rendezvous for young and beer gulping of our city.

I have heard despite his entrepreneurial pursuits in the field of hospitality industry, in his personal life he had his own philosophy, principles, values, fads and foibles that he would not compromise. In his Ritz days his name was synonymous with the hotel so much so he was known as Ritz Ponnu, the ladies' man. He was living in a low-ceiling shelter with minimum creature-comfort hoisted on stilts in Hinkal farmland. His friends called it 'Ponnu's Adda.' Did you get me Steve? It was only when he opened the Pelican Pub he came to be known as Ponoo, a good Samaritan. I know and will vouchsafe for his ascetic ways and ability to renunciate when the attitude of his business partners did not resonate in a just and fair manner. I think this kind of self-denial to make others happy is rare. But, that was the Ponnu I knew.

Ponnu, a teetotaller, seemed to me more of an Osho Rajneesh freak. This controversial Guru had said 'live life like a sanyasi without wearing the saffron clothes.' Ponnu seemed to be living that kind of a life since his Ritz days.

Be that as it may, the last time I met Ponoo was before the Parliamentary election-2024. He came to my office unannounced. I was surprised no end. He was worried about the voters not exercising their franchise as a duty to our country. He made some suggestions. I gave my commitment to follow his advice and kept my word.

It was because of Ponnu Muthanna I was able to mobilise a few intellectuals and professors of our city and hold a meeting in the Rani Bahadur Auditorium on Hunsur Road. I was amazed at Ponnu's concern for our country at a time we find businessmen and entrepreneurs concerned about themselves rather than the country.

I may well imagine that Ponnu in his life's journey must have met with interference, ingratitude, insolence, disloyalty, ill-will, denials and selfishness. But he had the wisdom to bear with them all as due to the offenders' ego and ignorance of what is just, good or bad.

Having said this, the right way to describe Ponnu Muthanna, a mere hotelier to the outward world, is by borrowing the words of William Shakespeare: *"His life was gentle; and the elements so mixed in him, that Nature might stand up and say to all the world, this was a man!"*

RIP dear Ponnu. Om Shanti.

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Smart traffic system for Mysuru from July 1

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A Traffic Management Centre has been established in Mysuru and enforcement will begin on July 1, with real-time SMS notifications being sent to mobile phones of traffic violators to pay up, ADGP Alok Kumar said.

The Police also plan to install more cameras on the Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway to enhance enforcement and will fix Variable Messaging Signs (VMS) at key locations. These digital signboards will display real-time traffic conditions or any temporary road events, including bottlenecks, to inform drivers along the route.

Alok Kumar stated that the State Road Transport Authority has approved the proposal to install VMS boards, and tenders will be floated after a formal order is issued, which might happen in July.

Another proposal is to integrate the system of generating challans with FASTag at toll gates on National Highways. Under this proposal, traffic fines accumulated through violations could be deducted directly from the FASTag wallet at toll gates as vehicles pass through.

On June 1, the Traffic and Road Safety Division of the Karnataka Police met with the Regional NHAI Officer to discuss this potential integration. The ADGP is considering writing to the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MoRTH) regarding this integration.

In addition to cameras, the Police are allocating funds and procuring signboards and blinkers for the highways. Approximately 800 alcometers to check for drunk driving and 155 laser speed guns are being distributed to Police personnel across the State, excluding Bengaluru, Alok Kumar added.

Bright LED headlights: Motorists warned

Mysuru, June 23 (BLU&KS)- Additional Director General of Police (ADGP), Traffic and Road Safety, Alok Kumar has warned motorists against installation of bright headlights besides stating that cases will be registered against erring motorists.

The ADGP, who took to X (formerly Twitter) said that many vehicles owners were installing bright LED headlights for their vehicles in recent days, causing discomfort to motorists coming in the opposite direction leading to accidents.

In this backdrop, vehicle owners should only install headlights as specified in the Central Motor Vehicle Rules (CMVR), failing which cases would be registered against such vehicle owners.

Dr. Javeed Nayeem delivers talk

Mysuru, June 23 (VNS)- For those who know Dr. K. Javeed Nayeem, city's renowned medical practitioner and *Star of Mysore* columnist for the past 18 years, he was not only a good doctor and writer but also a speaker. He is also a person with great sense of humour.

Dr. Nayeem was today invited by the Mysore Literary Association (MLA) to deliver a talk on 'Beginning my life in a White Coat' which was the continuation of his previous talk 'Why and How I Became a Doctor' that he had delivered on June 23, 2023.

Dr. Javeed Nayeem

Dr. Javeed, during his talk held at Kalpa Kshetra auditorium in Vijayanagar 4th Stage this morning, took the audience back to the days when he was a PU student at St. Philomena's College in Mysuru. He shared about his journey of entering the medical college in Gulbarga, which was not easy, as Dr. Javeed had to withdraw his PUC results for not scoring the desired marks to get admission to the medical college and succeded as a repeater.

Earlier, Mysore Literary Association paid tributes to Ponoo Muthanna of Pelican Pub, who passed away on Friday, for his relentless support to the Association.

NEP-2020 brings in total reforms in students: Sanjay Kumar

Mysuru, June 23 (MTY&BS)- Sanjay Kumar, Secretary of Department of School Education and Literacy has said, "National Education Policy (NEP)-2020 helps in bringing reforms in a comprehensive manner among the students."

He spoke during the valedictory ceremony of National Yoga Olympiad organised at Regional Institute of Education (RIE) in the city, recently.

Sanjay Kumar said, NCERT has revised the syllabus by adding new chapters in the text books, which is in fact a matter of pride, for having included the chapters on Indian culture and knowledge.

The whole world will look at our culture with a great surprise, with impetus given to yoga and other extra-curricular activities in the new syllabus. So, NEP helps in overall development of the children, with a progressive approach, he added.

Sanjay Kumar

"The yoga enthusiasts who took part in Yoga Olympiad are the ambassadors of yoga in the world. It not just helps in practicing yoga by teaching others, but also in leading a life with self-employment opportunity. By the year 2027, yoga sector is set to emerge as 5.47 lakh crore sector, by recording year-on-year growth of 10 percent," said Sanjay Kumar.

In his call, Sanjay Kumar said, "Those educated in yoga have the responsibility of building a better society. They should be conscious of their societal behaviour and practice yoga regularly for keeping the society healthy. Yoga is also a part of school education, which has the strength to bind all."

United Nations (UN) has declared June 21, considered as the longest day in the world, as International Day of Yoga. Prime Minister Narendra Modi, holds the credit of yoga getting world recognition. To ensure people's health, one should follow the path of yoga, added Sanjay Kumar.

CID probe ordered: Home Minister

Mysuru/ Bengaluru, June 23 (BS)- Home Minister Dr. G. Parameshwar said, considering the seriousness of the case involving JD(S) MLC Suraj Revanna, the probe into the case has been handed over to Criminal Investigation Department (CID).

Denying any political motivation behind the arrest of Suraj, he said, following the complaint, Police will act as per law.

On the other hand, ADGP (Law and Order) R. Hithendra, following the approval of DG and IGP, has issued an order directing DGP (CID) Special Units and Economic Offence and SP of Hassan to send the case file with concerned Investigation Officer (IO) to hand over personally to IO in CID.

HDK loses cool

Meanwhile, Union Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy (HDK) lost his cool and took objection to media queries related to the case of his nephew Suraj Revanna. He said truth will be known in the coming days.

GTD reacts

JD(S) MLA and President of State Core Committee of the Party G.T. Devegowda (GTD), who reacted to media queries in Mysuru this morning said, any offence committed irrespective of person including my son is an offence within the ambit of law. The party won't support anybody and action against Suraj will be decided after holding discussions in the party platform.

Congress MLC Dr. Yathindra Siddaramaiah said "Police are probing into the case and there is no conspiracy behind filing the case. Truth will come out after the investigation."

State BJP President B.Y. Vijayendra, however, refused to comment on the case.

HC stays order allowing racing and betting at Bangalore Turf Club

Bengaluru, June 23- In a setback to Bangalore Turf Club (BTC), a Division Bench of the Karnataka High Court on Saturday prohibited BTC from conducting any on-course and off-course racing and betting activities at its premises.

A Division Bench comprising Chief Justice N.V. Anjaria and Justice K.V. Aravind passed the order after hearing the writ appeal filed by the State Government challenging the interim order passed by the Single Judge Bench. The Division Bench also directed that the interim order passed by the Single Judge Bench be kept under suspension and stayed. The Bench further said the prohibition will be in force till all the petitions before the Single Bench, regarding the matter, are decided.

MLC Suraj Revanna arrested

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Prior to his arrest, Suraj had to face a barrage of questions from Police about the manner in which blackmail complaint was filed, concealing attempts to blackmail him, till a complaint of unnatural sex was filed against him. After four hours of questioning, Police arrested Suraj.

Suraj was subjected to medical test at Hassan Institute of Medical Sciences hospital this morning, where his blood pressure count and sugar level were found to be normal. He was later taken to CEN Police Station.

It is said, Suraj will be taken to Bengaluru this evening and produced before the Magistrate at the latter's house. Police are likely to seek his custody.

The 27-year-old man had alleged that Suraj had sexually assaulted him, following which he told him that he would help him politically. He had stated that Suraj had invited him to his farmhouse and he forcefully kissed him, bit his lips and cheeks. Based on complaint, Holenarasipura Rural Police registered a case against Suraj under IPC Sections 377 (unnatural sex), 342 (wrongful confinement) and 506 (criminal intimidation) on Saturday evening.

The complainant was taken to Bengaluru on Saturday night after he refused to undergo medical tests in Hassan. Today, his potency test was conducted at Atal Bihari Hospital in Bowring Hospital premises, Bengaluru.

Suraj and his acquaintance Shivakumar had also filed a complaint alleging they were blackmailed by two people over "false sexual assault allegation."

Shivakumar had alleged that a man had initially befriended him and requested his help in securing a job, citing financial distress. Shivakumar agreed to introduce him to MLC Suraj.

On Saturday, when the JD(S) MLC came to CEN Police Station in Hassan in connection with the blackmail case, he was taken into custody after a *prima facie* inquiry against him.

As per sources, Hassan SP Sujeetha Mohammed directed senior officials to reach the Police Station, and it took four hours to arrest Suraj Revanna, ensuring he didn't escape.

This development comes just days after former JD(S) MP Prajwal Revanna was remanded to judicial custody by a special court in Bengaluru.

Prajwal, who was NDA LS candidate from Hassan, fled the country on April 27 after several videos allegedly showing him sexually harassing multiple women emerged. He was arrested by SIT upon his return from Germany on May 31.

Notably, Prajwal's mother, Bhavani Revanna, was given anticipatory bail in a kidnap case linked to a sexual harassment case, while his father, H.D. Revanna, was arrested in connection with two cases: kidnapping and sexual assault, before he was released on bail later.

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SCHEDULE: Survey No. 377, measuring 3 Acre 20 Guntas, situated at Doddamaragowdanahalli Village, Ilvala Hobli, Mysore Taluk & District East By: Harish & Sathish's Property, West By: Sampath kumar & other's Property, South By : Sampath kumar & Chikkanna's Property, North By: Mallayaiah & Shivanna's Property.

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This is to inform the general public that my client intends to purchase the below explained Schedule Property, from the property owner namely, Mrs. **Nanjamma, Wife of Late. R. Rangadhama** alias **Rangaswamy** and her family members, all Residing at No. 1886, 7th Cross, Maruthi Tent Road Janatha Nagara, T.K Layout, Mysuru–570009, Karnataka, India.

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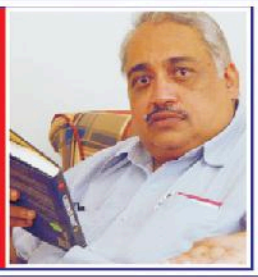
Over a cup of evening Tea

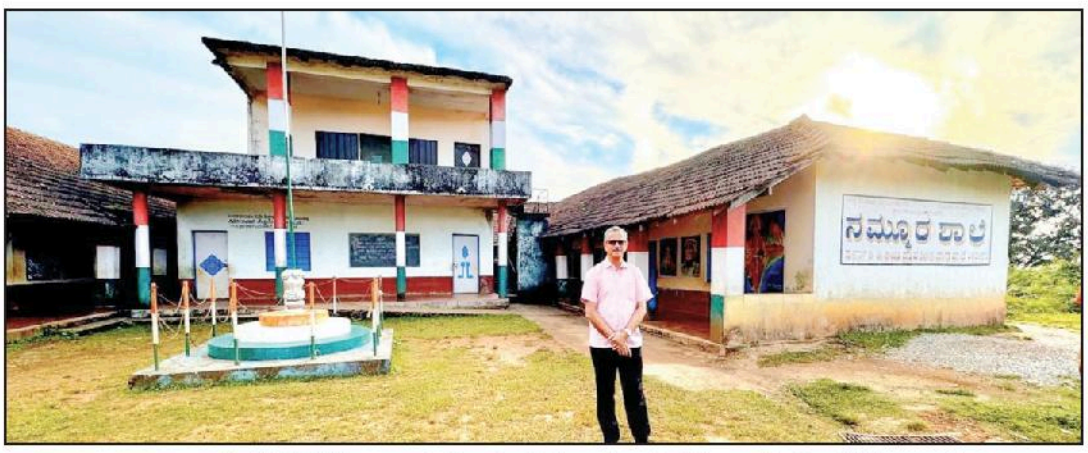
By Dr. K. Javeed Nayeem, MD



Two gifts of gratitude, to two foster mothers!

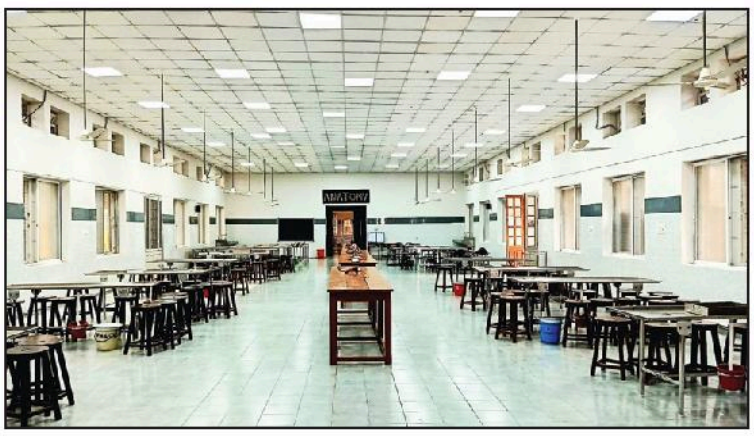
Last weekend, I wrote about the harrowing experience of **Dr. H.V. Shivaram,** who was attacked by a stray horse on the grounds of the **Cheluvamba Hospital,** which is a part of the large campus of the **Mysore Medical College (MMC),** while he was a House Surgeon there, way back in the year 1982. Thankfully, that bad experience had a very happy ending, all due to the helpful presence of a few people who were around the spot at the time and the promptness and skill with which **Dr. C.B. Murthy,** the then professor of surgery, operated upon the badly crushed and mutilated arm of Dr. Shivaram.

Dr. Vimala S. Iyengar



Dr. H.V. Shivaram in front of his school at Basarikatte, Chikmagalur.

The renovated Anatomy dissection hall at MMC.



An interior view of the dissection hall.

After reading my article about that incident, many doctors called me up or messaged me to say that they were Dr. Shivaram's former classmates and were happy to learn that he has now become a very renowned surgeon, heading the Surgery Department of the **Aster CMI Hospital** at Bengaluru. But, many of them said that they had lost touch with him completely during the intervening years, as it invariably happens with most of our old classmates and they learnt about his present position only after reading the article he had written about his experience in the *Star of Mysore*, a week before I wrote mine, in response to it.

Among these responders was **Dr. Vimala S. Iyengar,** a very close friend of mine, over more than four decades, who hails from a family of doctors. The two of us had worked together for nearly three years, in the Medical 'A' unit of the MMC, which was headed by **Prof. N.A. Jadhav,** while she was posted there as a physician and I was a postgraduate student attached to that unit. Dr. Vimala called me up to say that she was the Casualty Medical Officer on duty, at the **K.R. Hospital,** on that fateful day when Dr. Shivaram was attacked by the horse and she was therefore the first person to examine and treat him when he was brought to the casualty room.

She recalled how she had rushed to the spot of attack when people around her informed her about what was happening, only to see the horrifying sight of a helpless boy being dragged round and round the quadrangle by the frenzied horse, for almost half-an-hour. She says that the scene that shocked her and which was very similar to what we see in a circus where horses perform stunts, was still vivid and clear in her mind's eye!

After the attack was ended by the cook of the hospital canteen who in turn attacked the horse with a long kitchen knife, Dr. Shivaram was brought to the casualty room in a semi-conscious condition, with a profusely bleeding arm. Dr. Vimala recalls that when she opined that he would first need a blood transfusion before being shifted to the operation theatre, a fellow house surgeon whose name she is unable to recall immediately, promptly offered to donate blood for him. The collective effort of the medical team saved the arm from being amputated and Dr. Shivaram has gone on to become what he is today.

Dr. Vimala feels very exuberant about this turn of events and says that she would certainly be meeting her patient, first thing, at her next visit to Bengaluru! Some of the lucky man's classmates told me what a fine human being Dr. Shivaram was and how in profound gratitude to his Alma Mater, the Mysore Medical College, he has renovated the Anatomy dissection hall there at a cost of Rs. 20 lakh, some time ago.

Now, the anatomy dissection hall is the first place from where the education of any doctor begins and very interestingly, it is also the only place where the dead teach the living! That is why Dr. Vissa Ramachandra Rao, my former Professor of Anatomy at the M.R. Medical College in Gulbarga used to always say, "Respect the cadavers, they are your real teachers." Very true and wise words indeed! What Dr. Shivaram did to his college is a very magnificent gesture and a very munificent act indeed, but that is not all. The good that we do, even silently and secretly, just cannot be hidden for long, because like a flower that blooms unseen in the dark depths of a forest, it silently spreads its fragrance, far and wide. Just yesterday morning I found out that Dr. Shivaram has not forgotten even the tiny village school which provided him his first learning and I felt doubly happy about it.

I had my own special and very personal dose of happiness, when I discovered that this fine man hails from Chikmagalur, where my roots too come from. While I am from a, lost in the hills and woods, hamlet called Aldur, perched atop the Western Ghats, he hails from another similar, nondescript village called Basarikatte, which lies in the lush valleys down below. On one of his visits to his native village he found that the tiled roof of the government school, where he learnt his first Kannada alphabets, was completely blown away by the torrential monsoon rains and winds, which the place is known for.

The result was that classes for all the students of that school had to be conducted with them cramped in just two classrooms. So, Dr. Shivaram not only restored the roof of his school to its rightful place, but also built an extra classroom for the benefit of the kids who study there now. Now, how's that for the best way of saying thanks, to two foster mothers, because an abode under the roof of which we gain our education, is no less than the lap of a loving and caring mother, which is why it is called an **Alma Mater,** which in Latin means, Bounteous Mother!

Do think about it and ponder over what you can do for yours. Incidentally, if you happen to be an old student of the Mysore Medical College, your dear Alma Mater is celebrating its centenary, right now and so this might just be the right time to show her how much you love her, for what she has done to you!

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Health Minister praises SMT Maternity Hospital for excellent patient service

Mysuru, June 23 (MTY&KS)- Health Minister Dinesh Gundurao praised the exemplary services of Seth Mohandas Tulsidas (SMT) Maternity Hospital located on JLB Road during his visit on Wednesday.

The Minister was in town to participate in the National Sickle Cell Anaemia Elimination Mission programme at Zilla Panchayat (ZP) Hall. He took the opportunity to inspect the hospital premises and interact with inpatients, post-pregnancy women and their caregivers.

Observing a shortage of staff due to an increase in patients from across the district, the Minister verbally authorised the hospital authorities to recruit additional personnel. He advised doctors and staff to continue delivering excellent service to patients.

After his inspection, the Health Minister commended the services offered at SMT Hospital and confirmed that he had instructed the appointment of additional nurses. Currently, the hospital cares for 120 post-delivery women and the Minister pledged to approve the hiring of a paediatrician, gynaecologist and anaesthetist if the hospital's capacity is expanded to 250 beds.

Highlighting the rise in deliveries at Government hospitals, Gundurao noted an increase from 800-900 deliveries per month a few months ago to 1,800-2,000 presently, indicating positive development. He assured the provision of necessary facilities to enhance service delivery.

The Minister emphasised the Government's commitment to providing quality treatment and facilities comparable to private hospitals at no cost across all Government hospitals. He credited the Chief Minister's focus on healthcare, facilitating increased laboratory tests, specialist doctors and staffing.

Dinesh Gundurao attributed the rise in delivery cases to the new District Hospital's enhanced basic facilities, enabling 300-400 deliveries monthly. He stressed the Government's responsibility to ensure fundamental amenities for delivering excellent patient care.

District Health Officer (DHO) Dr. P.C. Kumaraswamy, Health and Family Welfare Department Deputy Director Dr. K.H. Prasad and Dr. Mallika, SMT Hospital Chief Dr. Anuradha & Congress leader H.V. Rajeev were present.

National and State farmer leaders' meet at Shivamogga tomorrow

Mysuru, June 23 (MTY&BS)- Farmer leaders from across the Nation and State will be descending on Shivamogga for a national-level convention organised tomorrow (June 24), with a motto to strengthen farmers movement in South India, on the lines of Farmers Chalo in New Delhi.

This was announced to the media persons by President of Federation of State Farmer Organisations Kurubur Shanthakumar, at Jaladarshini Guest House, in the city on Tuesday.

He said the convention aims to deliberate on the introduction of Law related to Minimum Support Price (MSP) for farm produces and waiving of farm loans. The norms related to Crop Insurance should also be changed and the amendment should be made to the guidelines of National Disaster Response Fund (NDRF) to award compensation for crop loss and damages due to drought, heavy rain, flood, rain damages and natural calamity.

"It has been also decided to take a delegation of farmer leaders to Andhra Pradesh Chief Minister N. Chandrababu Naidu and Bihar CM Nitish Kumar, seeking their cooperation to strengthen farmers movement," he said.

Demanding that, Union Food Minister Pralhad Joshi should come to the rescue of farmers of the State by addressing the anomalies, he said: "While the Central Government procures only 3 percent of farm produces in the State through procurement centres, the State Governments in Punjab, Haryana and Telangana open procurement centres at every hobli level and buys 45 percent of the farm produces. The Centre should hike the allocation for procuring farm produces under MSP in the State."

He also warned of staging a protest in front of Karnataka Gramin Bank (KGB), if they fail to hold LLBC Mega Adalat and disburse fresh loans by organising OTS Loan Mela, despite a Government Order in this regard.

Suspend drunk drive checking on weekends, holidays

Hotel Owners Association President C. Narayanagowda urges Police in the interest of tourism

Mysuru, June 23 (KS)- Mysuru Hotel Owners Association President C. Narayanagowda has urged the City Police to suspend drunk driving checking on highways and main roads during weekends and general holidays.

Narayanagowda has stated that the Traffic Police were conducting drunk driving checking on highways and main roads during Saturdays, Sundays and on general holidays, when tourists in large number arrive to city from neighbouring districts and States.

With Police conducting the checks, a serpentine line of vehicles can be seen on the main roads hampering smooth flow of traffic besides causing problems to tourists which in turn will have an adverse effect on the tourism industry.

Yesterday at about 9.30 pm, the Traffic Cops were conducting drunk driving checking near BM Hospital on Hunsur Road resulting in hundreds of vehicles, with the engines still running waiting in a long line. With increase in fuel prices, vehicles had to wait for more than 30 minutes to pass the checking point, thus wasting fuel, which is a loss to them.

Narayanagowda has urged the Traffic Police not to conduct checking on highways and main roads but conduct the same on other roads which will not cause inconvenience to tourists.

He has appealed to the District Minister and the City Police Commissioner to take steps to prevent tourists from being inconvenienced.

Lady yoga teacher ends life

Mysuru, June 23 (SBD&KS)- A lady yoga teacher ended her life by hanging self at her home in Gokulam yesterday.

The deceased is Mallika (47). She was leading a lonely life and was reportedly depressed. She ended her life by hanging self with her saree at her home, Police said.

A native of Suratkal in Dakshina Kannada, Mallika, who had obtained divorce, was staying in Mysuru since three years and was teaching yoga. She was said to be depressed as she was staying away from her family and relatives.

Yesterday at about 9.30 am, neighbours saw Mallika placing the garbage bin out of the house. But when her yoga students came at 12 noon and knocked on the door, there was no response from her and the students called the Emergency Response Support System (ERSS) Number 112 and informed about it.

Jurisdictional VV Puram Police, who rushed to the house, went to the rear portion of the house and peeped inside only to find Mallika hanging in the bedroom and informed her sister and brother-in-law, who arrived in city yesterday night.

VV Puram Police, who conducted mahazar, registered a case and shifted the body to MMC&RI mortuary, where post-mortem will be performed today and the body will be handed over to the family members later in the day.

Girl student commits suicide

Mysuru, June 23 (SPN&BS)- A student, who was reportedly caught for malpractice in the exam, has allegedly died by suicide, after jumping from the fourth floor of the college building in Mandi Police limits on Thursday.

The deceased, from Lashkar Mohalla, was studying first year Lab Technician course at the college and had been recently caught copying in the exam.

The college head had summoned her mother to the college. Meanwhile, the girl who went to the fourth floor of the college, allegedly jumped off, only to sustain serious injuries. She was rushed to a hospital, where she succumbed to the injuries, it is said.

A case has been registered at Mandi Police Station.

Woman killed as KSRTC bus hits

Nanjangud, June 23 (CM&KS)- A 75-year-old woman was killed when a KSRTC bus hit her when she was crossing the Chamarajanagar Bypass Road yesterday morning.

The deceased is Parvathamma, wife of Annaiah and a resident of Medar Street in the town.

Yesterday at about 6 am, Parvathamma was crossing the road when the KSRTC bus, which came from Chamarajanagar side, hit her resulting in Parvathamma sustaining serious injuries and breathing her last on the spot.

Nanjangud Traffic Sub-Inspector Siddaraju and staff, who rushed to the spot, conducted mahazar, registered a case and shifted the body to Nanjangud General Hospital, where post-mortem was conducted and the body was handed over to the family members.

The Police, who have seized the KSRTC bus, have taken the driver into their custody.

Truckers Association urges State Govt. to roll back hike in fuel prices

Mysuru, June 23 (GA&KS)- "The State Government, which has increased the price of petrol and diesel, has put truckers into a lot of hardship. Adding to it is the increase in the prices of toll fee, tyre, insurance and spare parts. The State Government should immediately roll back the hike in fuel prices and come to the help of truckers," urged Mysuru District Truckers Association.

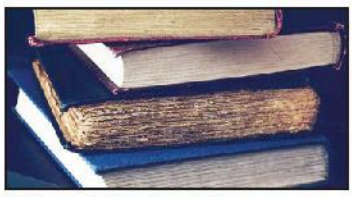
Addressing a press meet at Pathrakartara Bhavan here yesterday, Association President Srinivasa Rao said that the truck owners suffered loss due to drought last year and this year, following hike in fuel prices, the cost of transportation will increase. Truckers are facing difficulties to collect the increase in transportation cost from those sending the goods.

Rao further said that competitions have begun with many truckers offering to transport goods at lesser price causing a lot of hardships to many truck owners. "In the end, the transportation cost will be levied on consumers and the prices of essential commodities will also increase," the Association President said and urged the State Government to roll the hiked prices of fuels, failing which he warned of staging a massive protest.

M.P. Nagaraju, Asgar Ali Khan, Lingaraju and Prakash were present at the press meet.

WORD OF THE DAY

Apocryphal



Pronunciation: uh-PAH-kruh-ful (Adjective)
Meaning: Something described as apocryphal is of doubtful authenticity; the term is often applied to stories or legends that are often repeated but likely not true. Apocryphal can also describe something resembling or relating to the Apocrypha, the ancient Jewish books that are not part of the Hebrew Bible but are considered canonical in Roman Catholic and Eastern Orthodox churches. In the biblical use, the word is often capitalised.
Origin: In biblical study, Apocrypha refers to books outside an accepted canon of scripture. In modern use, the term refers specifically to a group of ancient Jewish books that are not part of the Hebrew Bible but are considered canonical in Roman Catholic and Eastern Orthodox churches; Protestant churches follow Jewish tradition in considering these books noncanonical. Both apocrypha and apocryphal come, via Latin, from the Greek word apokrýptein, meaning "to hide (from), keep hidden (from)," which in turn comes from krýptein, "to conceal, hide." Both words entered English in the 16th century with their nonbiblical meanings, apocrypha referring to writings or statements of dubious authenticity, and apocryphal describing such things. Apocryphal is now the more common word. It most often describes an oft-repeated tale that is almost certainly not true.
Example: "There is a likely apocryphal story about how Michelangelo, upon getting criticism about David's nose being too big, climbed a ladder and pretended to chisel it." — Rita Bullwinkel, The New York Times, 27 Feb. 2024

THE ODD WORD

Zenosyne

The sense that time keeps going faster.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Black Sheep

Meaning: Black sheep means to be the outcast, odd one out, unlike the others. You can use the phrase "Black Sheep" when describing someone who acts differently than the expected norm. It's usually used in conjunction with "family" as in he's the black sheep of the family.
Origin: A single black sheep in a flock was considered to be good luck by shepherds, particularly throughout Derbyshire, Kent, Somerset, and Sussex. But in 1822, someone coined the idiom "Black sheep" to denote that a member of a group was unlike others and of less worth, supposedly because a black sheep's wool was sometimes of lower value because it could not be dyed.
Example: "Rachel is the black sheep in the family because she is an artist whereas everyone else is an economist."

QUOTE BOX

A man is what he thinks about all day long. **—Ralph Waldo Emerson**

RIDDLE THIS

What is it that no one wants to have, but no one wants to lose either?

Answer: A lawsuit.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:
1 Barely
5 Indian batsman Mohd. ___
9 Moral offence
12 Shivering fit
13 Boss of a shield
14 Popular card game
15 Jubilation
16 Restrictive
18 Normal contraction of the heart
20 Nevertheless
21 Seine's contents
22 Split open
25 Fiery particle
28 Misfortune
29 A container for rubbish, perhaps
30 Overtake - also don't fail!
31 Thinker of great thoughts hopefully, abbr. (2,1)
32 Lost a lot of vital fluid?
33 Extra-terrestrials, abbr.
34 West Bank confed.
35 Lock
36 Small stone-fruit
38 African antelope
39 ___ after : attend to or take care of ?
40 Appropriate, conforming to
44 Chess champion Garry ___
47 Object of worship
48 Native or inhabitant as a suffix
49 Have liking for or wish to do
50 Coarse stiff hair - "seat" anagram?
51 Incline head
52 A song sung in praise of God
53 Attention

DOWN
1 Cuts or tears in an uneven manner
2 Unsightly
3 Prosecutes with the help of lawyers
4 Seesaws or moves precariously
5 Himachal Pradesh's ___ Valley
6 Female friend from France?
7 The Big Blue
8 Idiosyncrasy
9 Apt or fitting
10 A place of lodging
11 Beverage made with beaten eggs, usually with alcoholic liquor
17 Calendar abbr.
19 Tree from which old sailing ships were made
22 "Doc" changes into a type of fish?
23 Competes
24 Concludes
25 Specification in short
26 Course
27 Evaluated
28 Which person ?
31 Wield
32 Beastly, cruel and inhumane
34 Sermonize
35 It can move mountains
37 Agent
38 Donated
40 Shape or condition
41 ___ fixe (an obsession)
42 Music symbol
43 Give the ___ eye : look at in a amorous way?
44 Family
45 _ __ zed: alpha to omega (1,2)
46 Shaft, beam

FRIDAY'S ANSWER

E	T	U	I	■	G	O	A	■	I	F	F	Y
G	R	A	N	D	E	U	R	■	M	O	L	E
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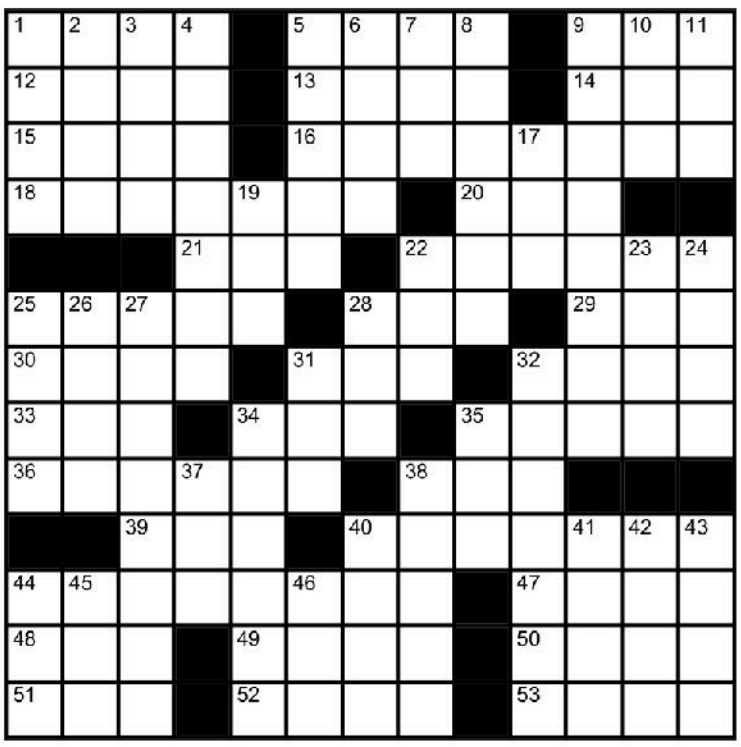

SUDOKU

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			5		4			
	2		6		7		3	
		1				6		
	5		9		1		4	
			3		2			
		7				2		
	1	5		9		4	7	

Answer to previous puzzle

3	7	4	8	5	2	6	9	1
5	6	9	4	3	1	7	2	8
8	1	2	9	7	6	3	5	4
2	9	7	1	8	3	4	6	5
6	3	5	7	9	4	8	1	2
4	8	1	2	6	5	9	7	3
1	2	3	6	4	7	5	8	9
9	5	6	3	2	8	1	4	7
7	4	8	5	1	9	2	3	6

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

I NJUUOK OU UJTRJCR XYJ ZIVAU ZJ MJW ILJWZ

JZYRBU, I LJBR OU UJTRJCR XYJ ZIVAU ZJ MJW ILJWZ

YOTURVE, ICH I LBOVVOICZ QJCSRBUIZOJCIVOUZ

OU JCR XYJ ZIVAU ZJ MJW ILJWZ MJWBURVE

TODAY'S CLUE: M EQUALS Y

Friday's Cryptoquip: As the sun makes ice melt, kindness causes misunderstanding, mistrust and hostility to evaporate.

MOVIE LOVERS

NOW SHOWING - SINGLE SCREEN THEATRES

Lido Theatre **Ph: 2420885**
Desai (K) - 2 Shows; *Karataka Damanaka (K)* - 2 Shows

Gayathri Theatre **Ph: 2443568**
Love Li (K) - 4 Shows

Sangam Theatre **Ph: 2520494**
Kotee (K) - 4 Shows

Prabha Theatre **Mob: 98454-14691**
Bahaddur (K) - 4 Shows

Thibbadevi Theatre **Ph: 2452958**
Bahaddur (K) - 4 Shows

Padma Theatre **Ph: 2521923**
Guntur Kaaram (Te) - 4 Shows

Rajkamal Theatre **Ph: 2423554**
Maharaja (Ta) - 4 Shows

Woodlands Theatre **Ph: 2422871**
Sambhavami Yuge Yuge (K) - 2 Shows; *Thuppakki (Ta)* - 2 Shows

Mahadeshwara Theatre **Mob: 99008-20093**
Sambhavami Yuge Yuge (K) - 4 Shows

Balaji Theatre **Mob: 9886325207**
Aranmanai 4 (Ta) - 4 Shows

DRC CINEMAS — Ph: 4240422, 4241800

Inside Out 2 (E-3D)	(S-1)	11 am; (S-4) 4.40 pm
Pokkiri (Ta)	(S-1)	1 pm
Hamare Baarah (H)	(S-1)	4.10 pm, 7.05 pm
Creation of the Gods 1 (Chinese)	(S-1)	10 pm
Love Li (K)	(S-2)	10.25 am, 7.10 pm
Munjya (H)	(S-2)	1.35 pm
Chandu Champion (H)	(S-2)	4.10 pm
Nadanna Sambhavam (Ma)	(S-2)	10.15 pm
Maharaja (Ta)	(S-3)	10.30 am, 4.15 pm
Sambhavami Yuge Yuge (K)	(S-3)	1.25 pm
Ullozhukku (Ma)	(S-3)	7.15 pm
Jahangir National University (H)	(S-3)	9.50 pm
Chilli Chicken (K)	(S-4)	10.50 am
Kotee (K)	(S-4)	1.25 pm, 6.45 pm, 10 pm

MYSURU VISION CINEMAS — Ph: 0821 - 2973519

Kotee (K)	(S-1)	1 pm; (S-2) 7.45 pm
	(S-4)	9.25 pm
Sambhavami Yuge Yuge (K)	(S-1)	4.05 pm
Chilli Chicken (K)	(S-1)	7.05 pm
Maharaja (Ta)	(S-1)	9.30 pm; (S-4) 6.45 pm
Desai (K)	(S-2)	4.15 pm
Pokkiri (Ta)	(S-3)	1.15 pm
Love Li (K)	(S-3)	4.20 pm, 7.10 pm; (S-4) 1.30 pm

PVR CINEMAS — 4K Dolby 7.1

Nexus Centre City Mall, 2nd Floor. Mob: 8951357139

Inside Out 2 (E-3D)	:	9.55 am, 12.15 pm, 2.35 pm, 8.05 pm
Kotee (K)	:	10 am, 12.15 pm, 4.15 pm, 10.30 pm
The Exorcism (E)	:	10.35 am, 4.10 pm, 9.30 pm
Trailers Screening Show	:	11.30 am
Trisha on the Rocks (H)	:	11.40 am, 6.25 pm
Maharaja (Ta)	:	12.05 pm, 6.40 pm
Bahaddur (K)	:	12.55 pm
Munjya (H)	:	1.30 pm, 7.45 pm
Love Li (K)	:	3.10 pm
Jahangir National University (H)	:	3.15 pm, 9.45 pm
The Bikeriders (E)	:	3.45 pm, 9.15 pm
Chandu Champion (H)	:	4.55 pm, 10.25 pm
Desai (K)	:	6.30 pm
Ullozhukku (Ma)	:	6.30 pm
Nadanna Sambhavam (Ma)	:	10 pm

1st Floor, Garuda Mall. Mob: 9901373210

Chandu Champion (H)	:	10.30 am, 4 pm
Kotee (K)	:	11.15 am, 2.45 pm, 6.15 pm, 9.45 pm
Trailers Screening Show	:	11.30 am
Jahangir National University (H)	:	12.05 pm, 6 pm
Pokkiri (Ta)	:	12.35 pm
Inside Out 2 (E-3D)	:	1.40 pm, 7.10 pm
Chilli Chicken (K)	:	3.15 pm
Ramesh Suresh (K)	:	4 pm
Bahaddur (K)	:	6.45 pm
Sambhavami Yuge Yuge (K)	:	9.10 pm
Maharaja (Ta)	:	9.30 pm
Hamare Baarah (H)	:	10 pm

EVENTS TODAY (JUNE 23)

Kumar Performing Arts Centre (KPAC): 40th Intl. Nirantara Kalemane Festival, Bharatanatyam by disciples of Guru Kanya Ramachandra Tayalia, Artistic Director, Natyapriya, Bengaluru; Disciples of Guru Bhavana Venkateshwara, Artistic Director, Sadhana Dance Centre, Bengaluru; Disciples of Guru Prof. Asha Hemaraju, Artistic Director, Natyaanjana - School of Dance and Music, Bengaluru; Disciples of Guru Shubha Hegde, Artistic Director, Niranthara Bharatanatyam, Bengaluru; Guru Amrutha Shashank, Founder of Kaarunya Nritya Academy, Bengaluru; Disciples of Guru Pruthvi Parthasarathy, Artistic Director, Srujana - Centre for Performing Arts, Bengaluru, Kalemane Sabhaangana, Hebbal 2nd Stage, **2.30 pm.**

Parivarthana Ranga Samaja, Arivu Educational & Cultural Trust, Kutuhali, Kalasuruchi - Mysuru, tAcT - The Academy Trust, Guru Ranga Charitable Trust, Sanchalana - Bengaluru and Samatento - Mysuru: Mysore Science Theatre Festival, Art & Mathematics Display, **4.30 pm;** English Monologues (Excerpts from Science plays), **5.30 pm;** Staging of play 'Hasire Honnu' (based on the life & works of BGL Swamy) by Arivu Ranga, Mysuru (Director: Berty Olivera), RamaGovinda Rangamandira, Ramakrishnanagar, **6.30 pm.**

Sacred Heart Church, Yadavagiri: Annual Church Feast-2024, Sunday Feast Day - Festive Holy Mass by Most Rev. Dr. Bernard Moras (Emeritus Archbishop, Apostolic Administrator-Diocese of Mysuru). It will be followed by Car Procession and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, Church premises, **5 pm.**

Sharana Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru City and Kadali Mahila Vedike: Mane Manege Sharaneyara Agamana, Tripurantaka delivers lecture on 'Duggale,' residence of Uma Mahadevaswamy, residence of Puttaraja Gawai Yoga Mandira (above Library), J.P. Nagar, **5.30 pm.**

Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha: Music concert in memory of erstwhile Secretary M.H. Raja Rao sponsored by family and friends & Lakshmamma & M.V. Venkatasubbaiah Memorial Concert sponsored by late M.V. Ramachandra Rao, vocal concert by Vid. M.S. Deepak, accompanied by Vid. Kritik Kaushik on violin, Vid. Pawan Masur on mridanga and Vid. Kartik Pranav on morching, Sabha premises, JLB Road, **6 pm.**

Sri Ramakrishna Ashram, Mysuru: Swami Aghaharanandaji speaks on 'Sri Rama Krishnara Dharmadallina Adhunikate,' Ashram premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**

Natana School of Theatre Arts: Staging of play 'Naayi Kaledide' by Namde Natane, written and directed by Rajendra Karanth, Natana premises, Ramakrishnanagar, **6.30 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (JUNE 24)

Mysuru District Hospital: Inauguration of Canteen in the Hospital premises by MLA K. Harishgowda, District Health Officer (DHO) Dr. P.C. Kumaraswamy and District Surgeon Dr. T. Amarnath will be present, Hospital premises, Metagalli, **10 am.**

Karnataka Bheem Sene: Nudi Namana and Pratibha Puraskar presentation programme, Sri Jnanaprakash Swamiji, District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa, MPs Yaduveer Wadiyar, Sunil Bose and others chief guests, Town Hall, **10 am.**

Vidyavardhaka Sangha (VVS), Mysuru: Induction Programme for students of 1st year Diploma Engineering, RIMSE Correspondent Swami Mahamedanandaji graces the occasion, VVS Hon. President Gundappa Gowda presides, Sahukar Chennaiah auditorium, VVCE campus, **10.30 am.**

Mysore Art Gallery and Kannada Sahitya Kalakoota, Mysuru: Akka Mahadevi Jayanti celebrations, Dr. Mathe Basavanjalidevi releases the book 'Kadalivanadalli Akka Mahadevi,' authored by artist L. Shivalingappa, KIKS Director Dr. N.K. Lolakshi speaks about the book, District Sharana Sahitya Parishat President Dr. Helavarahundi Siddappa presides, Gallery premises, Ramanuja Road, **11 am.**

Sharana Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru City and Kadali Mahila Vedike: Mane Manege Sharaneyara Agamana, Anjum Pasha delivers lecture on 'Gangambike,' residence of L.B. Channabasappa, #80, Prarthana, KBL Enclave, Vijayanagar 4th Stage, **5.30 pm.**

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Munjya (H)	:	1.45 pm, 4.30 pm, 10.20 pm
Chandu Champion (H)	:	1.55 pm
Thuppakki (Ta)	:	3.20 pm
Bahaddur (K)	:	5 pm
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Ramesh Suresh (K)	:	11.20 am
Maharaja (Ta)	:	1.15 pm, 10.20 pm
Sambhavami Yuge Yuge (K)	:	1.20 pm
Desai (K)	:	2.05 pm
Aarata (K)	:	5.05 pm
Chilli Chicken (K)	:	7.45 pm
Chef Chidambara (K)	:	7.50 pm
Inside Out 2 (E-3D)	:	7.55 pm
Nadanna Sambhavam (Ma)	:	10.30 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15.

Free training at RUDSETI

Mysuru, June 23- The Rural Development and Self Employment Training Institute (RUDSETI), Mysuru, will be conducting CCTV Camera, Security Alarm, Smoke Detector - Installation and Repair Training from July 1 to 13 at its premises on Hinkal Main Road here.

All the programmes are free of cost including boarding and lodging. Candidates, aged between 18 and 45 years, who can read and write in Kannada, are eligible to apply. Preference will be given to rural BPL candidates.

Interested candidates must submit an application with mobile number, photocopies of Aadhaar Card and Ration Card.

Candidates will be selected based on direct interview. For details, contact Ph: 0821-2519663 or Mob: 94498-60466.

Nidhi Aapke Nikat 2.0

Mysuru, June 23- The District Outreach Programme under Nidhi Aapke Nikat 2.0 will be conducted by the Employees' Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO), Regional Office, Mysuru, on June 27 (Thursday) from 9 am onwards at The Orchids Public School, Bodadi-Gaddige Road, Kumarabeedu, Mysuru; M. Visvesvaraya Indoor Stadium, Mandya; Jyothi Home Industries, Assessment No. 645/608, Narayanaswamy Temple Street, Chamarajanagar.

Stakeholders like PF Members, Pensioners, Employers etc. may attend the programme for awareness, queries and information.

For more details, contact PRO on Ph: 0821-2599200/222 or e-mail: ***ro.mysore@epfindia.gov.in*** or visit Social Media Platform ***(@epfomysore)*** of Regional Office, Mysuru.

CREDAI Karnataka Conclave 2024

Mysuru, June 23- The Confederation of Real Estate Developers Associations of India (CREDAI), Karnataka, has organised CREDAI Karnataka State Conclave 2024 on June 24 and 25 at Silent Shoes Resort in Hootagalli. The Conclave will be inaugurated tomorrow (June 24) at 10.30 am, according to a press release from the CREDAI Karnataka.

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